



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 3543**  
Takahiro NISHI et al. : Docket No. 2003\_1879  
Serial No. 10/751,476 : Group Art Unit 2616  
Filed January 6, 2004 : Examiner Vincent Boccio

IMAGE SIGNAL, DECODING METHOD,  
DECODING APPARATUS, DATA STORAGE  
MEDIUM, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM  
IMPLEMENTING A DISPLAY CYCLE IDENTIFIER

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEE FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed November 3, 2004, the time period for response having been extended by one month by the attached petition, please amend the above-identified application as follows.